



# California Regional Water Quality Control Board

## San Diego Region

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March 16, 2000

**CERTIFIED-RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED**

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Mr. Mubashar Ahmad  
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(File No. 06-0204)

Dear Mr. Ahmad:

**RE: NOTICE OF VIOLATION # 2000-55: REQUEST FOR INFORMATION  
ANZA SANITARY LANDFILL**

On February 7, 2000 California Regional Water Quality Control Board, San Diego Region (SDRWQCB) conducted a routine site inspection at the Anza Sanitary Landfill. During the inspection, staff observed exposed waste, ponded water, and erosion along drainage down-drains and sideslopes from the upper to lower deck. At the end of the inspection, a Notice to Comply was issued by the SDRWQCB pursuant to California Water Code, Section 13399, and was signed and received by the discharger contact (Mr. Kevin Joyce). The Notice to Comply instructed the discharger to come into compliance with Waste Discharge Requirements (WDR) Order No. 87-53, as amended by Order No. 93-86, by correcting the observed violations (see attached Notice to Comply). The violations were to be corrected by March 8, 2000. Furthermore, the discharger was required to sign and submit the Notice to Comply within five days of correcting the violations. To date, the certified Notice to Comply indicating that the violations have been corrected, has not been received by this office.

This Notice of Violation is based upon the following:

1. Failure to submit the certified Notice to Comply within the time period specified in California Water Code, Section 13399.
2. Violation of Waste Discharge Requirements Order No. 87-53, Discharge Specification B.10.
3. Violation of the California Code of Regulations (CCR) Title 27, Article 4, Section 20365(a-f) "Precipitation and Drainage Controls".

Pursuant to Section 13267 of the California Water Code you are hereby directed to provide this Regional Board with the following information:

- A. Submit the certified Notice to Comply indicating that the grading and drainage improvements have been completed by April 3, 2000.

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B. Submit a Workplan and proposed time schedule for completing a comprehensive investigation of the landfill cover by April 17, 2000. The investigation should demonstrate that the cover is designed to prevent ponding of surface water, infiltration, and to resist erosion under anticipated runoff events, in compliance with CCR Title 27, Article 4, Section 20365. The results of this investigation should include, but not be limited to:

1. Determination of the cover thickness (in inches),
2. Characterization (sediment/grain size distribution) of the soils used for the cover using the Unified Soil Classification system,
3. Demonstration the down-drains used for stormwater conveyance are appropriately designed to carry stormwater runoff.

C. Submit a copy of the Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP) by April 3, 2000.

These violations may subject the discharger to further enforcement action, including but not limited to, assessment of civil liability under Section 13350 and 13385 of the Water Code.

If you have any questions or require additional assistance, please contact Ms. Amy Fortin of my staff at (858) 637-7136.

Respectfully,

*Original signed by*

JOHN H. ROBERTUS  
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San Diego Regional Water Quality Control Board

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